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Dear Ms. Hartzell and Mr. Jankauskas:

SUBJECT: BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY (BNL) INTERAGENCY
AGREEMENT (IAG) FIVE YEAR REVIEW REPORT

Reference: Letter from B. Jankauskas, NYSDEC, to R. Gordon, SC-BHSO, Subject:
Brookhaven National Laboratory Site ID: 152009, dated October 26, 2021

In response to the letter referenced above, please find our attached responses. In summary, we concur with New York State Department of Environmental Conservation's request to support the Suffolk County Department of Health Services investigation by funding the per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) laboratory analysis for select off-site vertical profile locations, however, we do not plan to expand the number of properties in the routine annual private well testing program.

An Addendum to the Five-Year Report is currently being prepared to formally document responses to all regulatory comments, including those recently submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency. If you have any questions please contact Jerry Granzen, of my staff, at (631) 344-4089.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Gordon
Site Manager

Attachments:
Response to NYSDEC Comments

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